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SIR:

In response to the Office Action of September 15, 2005, please amend the above identified application as follows.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed: Commissioner For Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on December 14, 2005.

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